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**CHLOROTOXIN** 

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Sir:

## RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT

In response to the Election Requirement mailed May 14, 2008, entry and consideration of the following remarks are requested. The deadline for responding to the Election Requirement without fees is June 14, 2008. A two (2) month extension of time extending the time for reply to and including August 14, 2008 is hereby requested. A credit card payment of \$230.00 for a two month extension of time for a small entity is being concurrently submitted via the USPTO's Electronic Filing System. Therefore, Applicant submits that the present Response is timely submitted on August 1, 2008.

Applicants thank the Examiner for helpful comments during a telephonic interview between the Examiner and Applicants' representative on July 21, 2008.

Applicants are concurrently submitting an Amended Sequence Listing to correct the listing for SEQ ID NO: 13 such that listing matches the specification as originally filed, and the language of claim 42. The amended listing for SEQ ID NO:13 is therefore TTX<sub>1</sub>X<sub>2</sub>X<sub>3</sub>MX<sub>4</sub>X<sub>5</sub>K, wherein X<sub>1</sub> can be aspartic acid or glutamic acid; X<sub>2</sub> can be alanine, arginine, asparagine, aspartic acid, cysteine, glutamine, glutamic acid, glycine, histidine, isoleucine, leucine, lysine, proline, methionine, phenylalanine, serine, threonine,